

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend paragraphs [0022] and [0237] of the published specification as follows:

[0022] Amino acid sequences of various cytochromes P450 that belong to the CYP81 family are found in Nelson, DR, The Cytochrome P450 Homepage, Human Genomics 4, 59-65 ~~Http://drnelson.utmem.edu/CytochromeP450.html~~. Among different functions of these cytochromes P450, Helianthus tuberosus-derived CYP81B1 is known to catalyze the hydrogenation of fatty acids (see Publication 16, for example). It is also known that the enzyme 12'H belongs to CPY81E.

[0237] In order to identify regulatory cis-elements at the 5'-region of the SiP189 gene, a 5'-sequence of about 3 kb starting from the start methionine site of the SiP189 gene (SEQ ID NO: 74) was analyzed by PLACE (Database of Plant Cis-acting Regulatory DNA Elements~~http://www.dna.affrc.go.jp/PLACE/~~). The PLACE analysis identified a large number of binding sites for a specific transcription factor family, along with a large number of regulatory cis-elements that responded to a specific signal. This indicates their involvement in the expression of the SiP189 gene (FIG. 9 and FIG. 10).